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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

*1999*  
Examiner : *OCT 12 1999* Phuong Bui  
Group Art Unit : 1648  
Applicants : B. Muller-Rober et al.  
Serial No. : 08/702,718  
Filed : March 19, 1997  
For : PROCESSES FOR INHIBITING AND FOR INDUCING  
FLOWER FORMATION IN PLANTS

New York, New York  
October 7, 1999

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the June 7, 1999 Restriction Requirement in the above-identified application.

Applicants have filed concurrently herewith a Petition for a three-month extension of time for replying to the Office Action and have paid the required fee under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136(a) and 1.17(a). With the extension, the time for replying is extended up to and including October 7, 1999.